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**Assertion of Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. §1.27(c)(1)**

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Sir:

iPrivacy, LLC., the assignee of the entire right and interest to the above-identified patent, hereby asserts entitlement to Small Entity Status under 37C.F.R. §1.27(a)(2) and is therefore eligible for reduced issue fee and maintenance fees for the patent.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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